The Kansas City Casino on the Model Street. Mrs. Bristol is secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Kansas City Manufacturers' Association.

Unique Organization Allied With Three Other Commercial Bodies | dressed bodies of women that was ever brought together by the organization of women that was ever brought together by the organization of women that was ever brought together by the organization of Helped to Carry Out the Plan for a Home for Visitors From the City at the Head of the Kaw River.

The erection of the Kansas City building at the World's Fair has brought into prominence a coterie of women unequaled for brains, practical business enterprise and culture.

This band of energetic women is known as the Woman's Auxillary of the Manufactures's and Merchants' Association of Kansas City. It was the latter named organization that helped to make possible the beautiful building at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition which will practically be the home or headquarters for Kansas City's quota of guests to the World's Fair, as well as visitors from every city and town in Missouri. In addition to this, a bearty welcome will be extended to all guests and visitors from outside the State. In the Kansas City Casino at the World's Fair, which bears the distinction of being one of the three cities in the country represented at the Exposition by its own building, the work of the Woman's Auxillary has been closely industried with the purchase of furniture, clothing and food, why should they not share the same interest, or even a greater interest than man in their city's industries?"

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Doctor A. L. Smith Declares That

Present Methods Unfit Them for Motherhood.

MARRIAGES LONG DELAYED.

Educator Says That Matrimony

Is Dreaded and the Strength

of Two Nations Is

Being Sapped.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Affantic City, June 11.—Doctor A. La-

none Smith of Bishops' College, Mon-nat, and of the Vermont University, at Flington, who in an address delivered fore the American Medical Association

barous practice of overeducating our siris, later discussed the subject with a newspaper man. Doctor Smith decried the "national crass in both the United States

and Canada to raise the intellectual ped-

and Canada to raise the intellectual pedestul of women.

"We are affecting the homes of the two
nations." he said. "We are sapping the
physical strength of the two pecoles and
are going a headiong pace which must
some day bring us to a realization of the
mistakes that are being made." That was
the summary of his opinions.

"Higher education unfits girls for motharrhood." he continued. "The mental strain
affects the nerves, it makes them dread
matrimony more than did the girls of another generation, because they realise that
their physical systems are weaker and
less able to endure the strain and responsibilities of motherhood.

"What plan have I to suggest to change

ed against what he called "the bas

OVEREDUCATION

terest than man in their city's industries?"

Part of the work of the auxiliary is to aid and encourage the commercial and industrial enterprises of woman.

For irstance, before the Woman's Auxiliary, any woman who has an article which she wishes to introduce on the market, may, with arrangements made with the members for the day of meeting, go before the meeting and demonstrate her work. If the project is found to be a worthy one, it is incorred by the auxiliary and every affort made to assist it on the way to success. The merits of every article required it, the home, for women's and children's wearing appurel is granted a hearing tafere this body. Everything from improved dishwashing machines, to complexion creams, have been exhibited at these meetings of the auxiliary, and many of them owe their first and lasting success to the encouragement given them by the enterprising women of the auxiliary.

WELL GOWNED.

dressed bodies of women that was ever brought together by the organization of woman.

"It is every woman's duty to dress as well'as she can, within her allowance and according to her social position," is the sentiment expressed by Mrs. Bristol.

"First, I think it a duty woman owes to herself to always look her best; second, it is necessary that she should.

"The woman who makes a success today in the business world is the woman who does not forget, or think it too much trouble to have hooks and eyes on her gowns instead of pins; to have clean linen instead of soiled clothing; to have her mails properly manicured and to present a general cleanly and well got together appearance.

"I believe, however, that the majority of women to-day are more vain than those of Cleopatra's time. While I believe that it is absolutely necessary for women, if they want to take proper care of themselves, to spend at least two hours a day on massage, manicuring and looking after the mending of their clothes; I see no necessity of women spending several hours per day as prescribed by the beauty doctors. If women were to adhere to advice given by the complexion authorities it would require thirty-six hours out of the iwenty-four to comply with their rules."

MUNICIPAL INTERESTS.

MUNICIPAL INTERESTS. One of the many municipal interests present interested in is the appointment of woman on the Board of Street Commis-

a woman on the Board of Street Commissioners.

"The streets of cities will never be properly and carefully cleaned until women take an interest in this work." said Mrs. Bristol, in speaking of the proposed plan. "Most every woman is as much interested in kepling the street before her house in the same clean condition as her home. Women whild make better Street Commissioners than men because they are more methodical in their work and more particular."

The members of the auxiliary represent Kansas City's most prominent society, club and business women of the city. The officers are: Mrs. M. Rollin Winch, president; Mrs. Blake L. Woodson, first vice president; Mrs. L. R. Mallott, treasurer, and Mrs. Frances K. Bristol, secretary. The presidents of the organization have been Mrs. Noble Prentiss, who is now the hostess of the Kansas building; Mrs. M. R. Winch and Doctor Martha C. Dibble. The officers of the Kansas City World's Fair Committee are:

Van Brunt & Howe, architects; James

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That this body of business women do not believe or agree with Hetty Green, the business woman's apostle, in all her country. The members of the corganization do not lay claim to being the sort of "women who do things." Rather, they

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Bouillon Spoons, set of 6. \$ 9.00
Dessert Spoons, set of 6. \$ 11.25
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Table Forks, set of 6. \$ 16.50 Ice Cream Forks, Ind., set of 6.....\$ 9.50

Butter Knife, each..... \$ 2.20 Cold Meat Forks, each \$ 5.25 Lettuce Forks, each.....\$ 3.00 Gravy Ladles, each.....\$ 6.00 Soup Ladles, each \$16.25 Sugar Tongs, each 25

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Sugar and Creams....\$15 to \$75 patterns, in silk-lined case, complete\$10.00 Butter Knife, Sugar Spoon and Twelve Teaspoons, "Richmond" pattern, gilded bowls, silk-lined case, complete.......\$15.00

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against 90.6 on June 1, 1952, 28.1 at the corresponding date in 1962, and 39.4 the mean of the corresponding averages the last ten years.

The report also includes rice, clover an fruits, the details of which will be published in the Crop Reporter.

DALLAS SEEKS CONVENTION Will Ask Elks to Meet in Texas

Next Year. .

trict Attorney William H. Atwell, who is

las, Tex., June 11.-United States Dis-

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WOMAN LOSES IN FIGHT WITH THIEF.

Prospective Boarders Robbed Landlady of \$337 Which She Carried in Her Stocking.

ONE HELD AND CHOKED HER

They Fled After Getting Money and Mrs. Emma Pryke Chased Them Through Crowded Street.

in the guise of prospective lodgers, and after choking and beating her until she was almost unconscious, stole EST from one of her stockings.

Though she had only recently recovered from an attack of linesa, Mrs. Pryke started in pursuit of the robbers when they fied into the atreet. They ran through fixth svenue to Fourteenth street, and their victim lost sight of the fugitives in the crowd.

bery, he was locked up at the West Thir-tieth Street Station.

Saying that they desired to look at rooms which Mrs. Pryke advertised, two men called on her at about 10 o'clock in the morning. "We are actors and have been playing at the Fourteenth Street Theater," one of the callers said when Mrs. Pryke asked them for references. Then he took from his pocket a 110 bill and handed it to Mrs. Pryke, saying that she could take two weeks' payment in advance.

she heard a slight noise and turned to see one of her callers in the doorway.

Alarmed by the actions of the men she tried to conceal the money. One of them sprang toward her, and seized her by the throat while his companion struggled to get at the roll of bills. Mrs Pryke struggled desperately to retain possession of desperately to retain possession of the cash, which it had taken her a long

the cash, which it had taken her a loss time to save.

After the men had obtained their loot she was dragged into a hallway, so that her cries would not arouse the tenants of the adjoining apartment.

Mrs. Pryke was almost hysterical as she ran through Sixth avenue after the men. She returned to her apartment, and her husband, who is employed in a department store, was summoned.

The average condition of winter wheat on June 1 was 77.7, as compared with 78.5 on May 1, 1904, 82.2 on June, 1905, 76.1 at the corresponding date in 1902, and a ten-year average of 73.5.

husband, who is employed in a department store, was summoned.

He notified the police, and later Mr. and Mrs. Pryke inspected the rogues' gallery at Police Headquarters. There she picked out a photograph which, she thought, resembled one of the men who had attacked her. The picture was that of Hart, and his arrest followed.

CROP ACREAGE DECREASED. Reports to Department of Agri-

culture Show Slight Reduction. Washington, June 11 .- Preliminary

turns to the Chief of the Bureau of Sta-

on June 1 was \$3.4, as compared with \$5.9 at the corresponding date last year, \$6.4

on June 1 was 77.7, as compared with 76.5 on May 1, 1994, 82.2 on June, 1985, 76.1 at the corresponding date in 1902, and a ten-year average of 75.8.

The total reported acreage in oats is about 27.525.000 acres, a reduction of 86.200 acres, or .39 per cent from the area sown last year.

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The average condition of oats June 1 was 39.2 against \$5.5 on June 1, 1903, \$9.5 at the corresponding date in 1902 and a ten-year average of \$9.3.

The acreage reported as under barley exceeds that harvested last year by about 183,009 acres, or 2.1 per cent.

The average condition of barley is 96.5, against \$1.5 on June 1, 1902, \$6.6 at the corresponding date in 1902, and a ten-year average of \$8.

The acreage under rye shows a reduction of 5 per cent from that harvested last year.

The average condition of rye is 36.2,

that Attorney William H. Atwell, was chairman of the Convention Committee of the Dallas Commercial Club, said to-day:

"A number of Elks and prominent citizens are endeavoring to bring about concerted action on the part of the people." of Dallas with a view of securing the Elks' National Convention for this city in

of Dalias with a view of securing the Elks' National Convention for this city in 18%, and in the event that we fall in that to renew the efforts and keep at it until we do get it. The convention will be hid in Cincinnati next month, and the effect to bring Dalias conspicuously before eyes of the convention is being eagined by the Convention Committee of the Dalias Chamber of the Dalias Chamber of the Blats Association of Elks; Charles A. Rasberry district deputy; M. T. Lively, exalised ruler of the Dalias lodge; C. E. Bahpo, commander of the Elks Army; W. H. Patterson, founder of the army; C. C. Lans and others, who will go to Cincinnati.

"We are sending out letters asking the support of the 1.20 lodges toward securing the next convention for Dalias, and our plans contemplate the opening of head-quarters in Cincinnati, from which point our work will be directed during the progress of the convention. We will, in addition, do everything in our power to do such advertising of Dalias as will count best and most."

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Spencer next Wednesday night. The bewill leave the foot of Locus street. 72% p. m. This is the first excursion the season given by the employes. E. Kennedy and Walter D. Traber are charge of the arrangements.

ANOTHER PROMINENT BUSINESS MAN EXPRESSES AN OPINION

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this shirking of motherhood? It is simple, and I think it would be effective. Cut out the Greek and Lafin, the mythology and the algebra and turn them out of school at an earlier age. Give the girls an opportunity to rest after a schooling that is practical and useful to them, and let them build up their physical systems for the trials of wifehood. Youthful love founds stronger homes and produces more healthful children. Young married couples who are not overeducated have the health-lest children. That is what is needed.

"My observation has been that more and more is the American nation drifting to marriages at the age of \$3 and \$6\$ for men, and \$3, \$5\$ for women. Nature never in-

more is the American nation drifting to marriages at the age of 8 and \$\phi\$ for men, and \$\preceq\$0, \$2 for women. Nature never intended them to mate so late in life. Happiness cannot be the outcome of marriages of that kind.

Then education as has been often pointed out makes women independent and also crowds men out of employment. It reduces wages and makes it more difficult for the men to take a wife. But that is the economical point of it. It has no bearing on what I desire to convey. Overstudy in school, then more study in music, painting and may be something else afterwards, stunts the physical side of the girl. although it may improve her intellect. It ruins them for motherhood.

"Earlier marriages. I have noticed, are less liable to bring about divorces." I think a girl should have an ordinary education, such as our grandmothers had, and be satisfied to enter into the home and rear a family of say eight or ten children. Now education creates desires, and that tends to keep down the desire for families of this size. Our grandmothers were happier, as all will recall, with their families of children and grandchidren than are mothers of to-day, especially the supersensitive and overeducated mothers. Our grandmothers had less education and more contentment.

"Our public schools system is wrong in

Our public schools system is wrong in trying to raise the girl to a level educa-tionally with the boy, because the boy has the battle to fight and needs his wits and his brain as well as his muscle."

POOR SEASON FOR ORANGES. Unfavorable Weather Caused Loss of Big Crop.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, June 11-The most peculiar orange season ever known is about clos-ing. Practically all the Washington navels from California have been shipped and sold. The Florida oranges are done, after the distribution of a crop approximating 2,500,000 boxes. Porto Rico sent 250,000 boxes, the largest quantity ever shipped from the island, but Jamaica exports fell off, amounting to only 70,000 boxes, where they usually run up to 110,000 boxes. Not-

they usually run up to 110,000 boxes. Not-withstanding these immense crops, Cali-fornia had approximately 20,000 cars to ship and fully 25,000 cars have left the State. Of this number about 3,400 cars have been sold at auction in this market. Some idea of the magnitude of the busi-ness can be obtained from the freight bills which are about 25,000,000 a season.

The season has been unsatisfactory, as a whole, largely because of poor weather at the opening and because of a large proportion of poor quality fruit. The ex-treme cold through January and Pehruary prevented distribution and blocked all markets. Afterward, it took weeks to clear up the held and diverted cars, which naturally had to go at a reduction or not at all.

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An important result of these unfavorable conditions is the dissolution of the California Fruit Agency, the giant marketing organization which was formed a little more than a year ago, and which has provoked more criticism and bad blood than any other combination ever attempted in the fruit business. It was formed by combining the Southern California Fruit Exchange, an organization of growers, and the Citrus Union, an organization of packers. Each of these organizations was composed of numerous smaller organizations. It was, in fact, a huge co-operative institution.

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er organisations. It was, in fact, a huge co-operative institution.

All sorts of misunderstandings arose, which, combined with the results of the unfavorable marketing conditions, finally compelled dissolution. On September 1 the agency goes out of business, and the Southern California Fruit Exchange resumes operations. Speaking of the markets. D. O. Black, representative of the agency here, says:

"The markets now are all that could be desired. Prices are high, demand is strong, and with nothing else to attract buyers, the close of the season promises to make good all previous losses. As things are going now, no one can find any fault. Everything is as favorable as could be wished."

Twelve-Year-Old Boy Snatched Purse From Child a Year Younger.

GOT HIS FACE FURROWED.

Little Annie's Friends Turned in to Help Her and the Culprit

Was Glad When a Policeman Came.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New York, June 4 .- Johnny Gehren, 12 years old, turned highwayman, to get en ough money to hire a rowboat at Sheeps head Bay. His first venture was unsuc-cessful, for in holding up Annie Cooney, a year older, he did not take into consideration Annie's girl friends of about the

same age.

Instead of running away or screaming as girls are supposed to do, they attacked the highwaymen with feet and finger nalls. By the time they had finished Johnny welcomed the arrival of a police-

nails. By the time they had missed Johnny welcomed the arrival of a policeman.

Johnny lives with his mother at No. 419 East Twentieth street. He goes to school and told the police of the East Twenty-second street station last night that he had never been arrested before. As he stood before the deek, tenderly following the course of several scratches on his cheeks, he explained:

"Me an' me frien' 'Skinny' wanted to go down to Sheepshead Bay an' go rowin'. We didn't neither of us have no money, so we says, les' hold somebody up; then we can get it. We watched along avenue B, and at Twenty-first street along comes this girl an' her frien's. She has the pocketbook a-swingin' in her hand, an' I grabs for it."

Little Annie Cooney, who lives at No. 24 First avenue, took up the story at this point, and her friends corroborated her in every detail. According to them Johnny rushed up with "Give me that," pushed her backward and had wrenched the pocketbook from her grasp when the other girls realized what was doing. Before Johnny knew it he was the center of a very good imitation of a cyclone, during which he relinquished the purse, which contained \$1.50, and tried to hide his face in his hands. He almost embraced the policeman when he arrived.

When the policeman started to take Johnny over to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children he was compelled to pass through the crowd of Annie Cooney's friends on the sidewalk